

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of: **Sou KUROIWA et al.**

Art Unit: **3746**

Application Number: **10/501,885**

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

August 25, 2009

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated March 30, 2009 for two months from June 30, 2009 to August 30, 2009.

The amount of **\$490.00** for the cost of the extension of time is being paid via electronic credit card payment. If any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge Deposit Account No. 50-2866.

Respectfully submitted,

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